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WATERBURY

The Waterbury Record had the honor of announcing to the public the election of H. R. Demeritt to the directorship of the Waterbury Savings Bank & Trust company. Mr. Demeritt is a resident of Duxbury, has represented that town in the legislature and the county in the Senate. He is the head of the Demeritt company, operating one of the largest manufacturing enterprises in town, his business ability being recognized throughout the county. Mr. Demeritt's election increases the number of directors to nine.

The Waterbury public library shows its usefulness through the report of its librarian, Miss Bertha Joslyn, its circulation of books for the year being 21,124. The number of books used in the public schools was 187.

The ladies' union enjoyed a mass meeting with Mrs. L. H. Whitney Tuesday. Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. Abbott being hostesses. Various guessing games were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostesses. The ladies' union seems to be enjoying great prosperity in numbers and work, the meetings being of special interest.

This evening at the meeting of the Congregational society in the chapel of the Congregational church, the reports are expected to be very encouraging.

Rev. William L. Boicourt officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Downer in Stowe on Monday.

J. U. Valcourt of Bridgewater, Mass., has been a business visitor in town for a few days.

Miss Margaret Steele of Highgate was the week-end guest of Fayette Stevens at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stevens. Miss Steele is the daughter of Senator Steele of Franklin county.

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HARDWICK STREET

Miss Margaret Salls has gone to Concord, N. H., to visit her brother, Ephraim.

George Celley is moving into Mr. Brocher's tenement and will work for A. S. Tolman the coming season.

George Kimball, who has been ill for several days, is able to be out.

Drury Goodrich has gone to Burlington for medical advice.

Mrs. Susan Keith is spending the week at D. E. Goodrich's.

Miss Bessie Salls has returned home from D. G. Speir's in Greensboro.

John Olmsted is out, after several weeks' illness.

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Red blooded people retain their youth and vigor until late in life because red blood ages slowly.

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GROTON

Rev. G. D. Gould Resigns as Pastor of Baptist Church.

Rev. G. D. Gould, pastor of the Baptist church, read his resignation Sunday morning to take effect March 1. He has accepted a call to the Baptist church at Farmington, N. H., and will commence his duties there as soon as he concludes his pastorate here. Mr. Gould came to Groton from St. Albans three years ago. He has been a faithful worker, his labors being attended with marked success and his many friends regret his leaving town.

A daughter was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Newton Dennis.

Rev. F. W. Lewis was a business visitor in Montpelier Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dow of Concord, N. H., were recent guests of Mrs. Henry Page, their daughter.

A daughter was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Foster.

Mrs. Annette Courtney of St. Johnsbury arrived here Friday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Clark.

Marshall Robinson has finished work for C. F. Robinson, his father, and has stored his household goods, and, with his wife, left Monday for Montpelier. They will also go to New York before they return.

Mrs. H. L. Tillotson was in St. Johnsbury on Monday.

Mrs. A. N. Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Morrison returned Monday from Manchester, N. H., where they were detained last week by the illness and death of Fred Morrison, son and brother.

Mrs. Emma Davis of Lynn, Mass., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Clark from Saturday until Monday.

Lieut. H. L. Tillotson, medical corps, arrived here Tuesday morning from Atlantic City, N. J., where he has been stationed since early last fall. His visit to Vermont at this time was occasioned by the illness of his father, George Tillotson of East Orange. He will return to military duty on Friday.

MORETOWN

Eugene Nerney and Miss Jane Foley of Granville were guests at P. F. Nerney's Sunday.

Several from here attended the concert at Waitsfield Wednesday evening.

L. B. Dodge, who was a business visitor in town last week, returned to his home in Barre Sunday.

Mrs. Ebbel Child and Miss Mertie Whitney were in Waterbury Monday.

Mrs. B. S. Ward returned Friday from a two weeks' stay in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McAllister of Waitsfield were guests at M. R. Child's Sunday.

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Prof. Davis of Montpelier seminary preached at the M. E. church Sunday morning.

Senator Frank Jackson was a guest of his sister, Mrs. H. B. Nichols, and family over Sunday.

Theron McIntosh of Northfield was a recent guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. O. Bailey, and family.

The new Central Vermont station, with modern heating and plumbing, is now completed. Station Agent Ryan moved into it early in the month.

The auditors are busy at work, analyzing the reports of the various town officers.

M. J. Herbert is reported more comfortable.

Guy Beau, who enlisted in July, 1917, has been discharged and is visiting among friends.

The state cow tester was at A. P. Bigelow's Monday.

Miss Jessie Slayton, who has been with her mother in Boston, was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. Elbridge Burnham.

Word has been received from Richard Bailey that he is now stationed at Camp Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Eaton were in Waitsfield Friday to attend the annual supper of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges.

The home circle will serve a baked bean, scalloped potato supper in the church vestry on Wednesday, Feb. 19, to which everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buck were in Berlin Wednesday to attend Pomona grange.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Porter met with them Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday. A musical treat was given from the piano and victrola, which all much enjoyed.

The village primary pupils will hold a Valentine social in the M. E. church vestry on Friday evening, Feb. 14. Everybody come.

EAST CALAIS

Mrs. Susie Lamb is in Maple Corner, assisting in the family of Willie Foster. Mr. Foster is quite sick.

C. W. Taylor and wife of Worcester were week-end visitors at Guy Hancock's.

Mrs. Olive Wheelock and Mrs. Mae Wilber of Montpelier were visitors in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence of Montpelier were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jones on Sunday.

Ralph Balentine, who has been quite sick, is reported as somewhat better.

Charles Wheeler of Hopkdale, Mass., is in town, called here by the death of his father-in-law, H. J. Pearce.

E. C. Goodale is working for George Balentine.

Byron Pearce, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of the village, died at his home on Saturday evening. Mr. Pearce had been an invalid for several years, the result of a shock. He is survived by a wife and one daughter.

Mrs. Charles Wheeler of Hopkdale, Mass., The funeral was held at the home Tuesday afternoon, with burial in the village cemetery.

CALAIS

Because the "Polyanna" slides could not be secured for this week, the picture show to have been held here Friday and Sunday evenings has been cancelled. Definite announcements will be made later.



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WOODBURY

Floyd and Helen Blake were in East Calais Tuesday to attend the funeral of Byron Pierce.

Miss Mildred Ainsworth of North Montpelier was a guest the first of the week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Ainsworth.

Mrs. Sadie Rhen and four children of Cabot were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ross.

Mrs. George Parker returned Saturday to her home in East Calais.

Elsworth Bates, who was recently discharged from the United States service, returned home Monday.

Col. Flanders left Monday for New Hampshire for an indefinite stay.

W. B. Thomas was a business visitor in Hardwick Monday.

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Mrs. Ruth Michael and daughter, Ina, of Greensboro were over Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Ross.

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WAITSFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Baver of Randolph Center were over Sunday guests at their daughter's, Mrs. Will Graves.

Mark Baird returned to the Randolph agricultural school on Monday.

At a Y. P. C. E. meeting on Sunday evening, the following officers were elected: President, C. A. Bishop; vice-president, Eliza Connor; secretary, Earle Jones; treasurer, John Connor.

The welcome news that Roy Bragg and Herbert Smith are safely back in the United States has been received here.

Vern Griffith fell from a stool while fixing the stovepipe in his store recently, breaking several ribs and injuring himself to a considerable extent. He is fairly comfortable at this writing.

Nearly 60 from here attended the pictures at Waterbury Monday night, "Hearts of the World." The high school went in two big teams, driven by Edmund Boyce and Warren Palmer. Others who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bragg, Merritt Bragg and Miss Cooke, John Kingsbury and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton, Maurice Marble, Harold Hayes, Edna Boyce, Jennie Colebrook, Jesson Joslyn, Gladys Palmer, Harry Palmer, A. E. Farr, Clarence and L. Jean Biebee.

Mrs. Levi Boyce is spending several days in the home of her daughter, Flora, in Warren.

Harry Backus and family spent Sunday at B. D. Biebee's.

Clyde Jones has returned from Middlesex and will be at home for some time.

WAITS RIVER

Earl A. Woods was in the place Saturday on business.

Mrs. E. S. Locke recently spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Morris McKnight of Thetford.

George Fitch and Warren Currier have Bradford business visitors Saturday.

Rev. F. W. Lewis of Groton was here on Tuesday of last week to conduct the fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Waldo Hood was in Bradford on a business trip Monday.

Warren Carpenter was in the place one day last week.

There will be a Valentine party in the Presbyterian church hall Saturday evening, Feb. 15, at 7:30 o'clock. A good time assured to all. Admission, 10c and 20c. Ladies are requested to bring cakes, doughnuts, etc. Everybody welcome.—adv.

Train for caucus: Train will leave Rutland's station for East Barre at 5:30 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 15, to accommodate voters who wish to attend the caucus, returning, will leave East Barre about 9:45 p. m.

Regular meeting of I. O. O. F., E. M. U., in Miles' hall at 6 p. m., Feb. 14. All members are expected to be present. Per order N. G.

There was a reunion of the Johnson family Sunday at the old home, all the children and grandchildren being present.

BETHEL

Clubhouse at Lake Latoka in Barnard Was Burglarized.

The clubhouse at Lake Latoka in Barnard was broken into and rifled of a large quantity of canned fruit and laundry soap last Saturday. The caretaker, who lives two miles from the clubhouse, visited it Sunday and discovered the break and fresh tracks through the woods several miles. Officers, including Deputy Sheriff F. C. Putnam, are working on the case. Yesterday they were on the trail of the guilty person but found absolutely no trace of any of the stolen goods. The club is made up of Woodstock men and the clubhouse is not used during the winter.

Lieut. W. T. King recently was chosen from 1,500 officers at Angers, France, one of a small group designated to assist the committee on damages by the German armies in France. Lieut. King is a proficient flight officer and perfectly at home with the French language. It may have been for either or both of these reasons that he was chosen for what really is a peace conference business.

Frank F. McCullough suffered a fracture of both bones of his right arm near the wrist and a dislocation of the wrist joint yesterday about 1 o'clock, when he was thrown forward from a load of wood on which he was standing when a wheel of his wagon struck a large stone on a steep grade in the pasture of his farm in Royalton. He was thrown over the back of the off mule against a bank and probably saved himself from worse injuries by throwing out his hand. Quite unaided, as nobody saw him, he recovered from a brief period of insensibility, managed to guide his team with his left hand to the highway and to climb back onto his load and drive till he appeared. Mrs. O. D. and O. V. Greene administered ether and performed the necessary operation and he is doing well.

RANDOLPH

Mrs. H. C. Smith, D. D. P., of Montpelier and Mrs. V. B. Persons from the same city were in town on Tuesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dales returned on Wednesday from Fall River, where they had been to visit their daughter, Marjorie Dales, who is passing the winter there.

Mrs. D. C. Wilcox of Barre is passing several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Goodwin. Other guests in the same home this week have been Mrs. Goodwin's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Sheldon, from Barton and Mrs. B. G. Sheldon of Montpelier, the latter leaving here on Wednesday for their home.

The Norwich university club came here on Wednesday night to give a concert at the auditorium of the high school building, in the interest of the senior class. Following the concert there was a ball at the Star theatre.

The date of the annual roll call of the Bethany church has been fixed for Feb. 28, to be held at the parish house. A large number are expected to be present.

Mrs. Edwin Weston of Derry, N. H., who has been here with her mother, Mrs. Emogene Ellison, has returned home, after a few days' stay.

Mrs. Harry Harris returned from Rochester on Wednesday night after being with her daughter, Mrs. Dana Washburn, for a few days during an illness with the influenza.

WORCESTER

Rufus Wiggins of Montpelier was at Elmer Warren's Sunday.

There will be a box social at the town hall Thursday evening and a prize will be awarded for the prettiest box.

Quite a number from here took in the entertainment at Shady Hill Saturday night.

Robert Biding Erickson has had an honorable discharge from Camp Devens and now has work in the shipyards at Quincy, Mass., as reamer.

Mrs. Lottie Bolio fell and sprained her wrist quite badly Saturday morning.

P. G. Bolton returned Wednesday from his trip to Los Angeles, Cal., where he has been visiting his brother for the past few weeks.

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TRUE BLUE

By WARREN LEE BARTON.

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"How you feeling now, Roger?" "Snug as a bug in a rug."

"Mebbe we'd better forget digging gold and dig back for home, hey?" "Everybody would laugh at us. No, I'll be all right in a day or two and we'll strike a fresh trail, see?"

Thus spoke Roger Small, rich man's son of Chesterton, fifty miles distant, to his fides Achates, Zeb Walls. They were in an old barn and, lying on a heap of hay and covered to the chin with a ragged horse blanket, Roger, with mottled face, watched his chum and nurse bustle about.

The latter had set up light house-keeping. He had a small one-burner kerosene stove, a skillet and a few other kitchen accessories, a package of cereal, a bottle of milk and an old teapot. This was constantly simmering on the little oil burner and gave out an aromatic steam.

"You see, you've got the measles," said Zeb, "and all you can do for it is to lie still and keep warm, so I borrowed the blanket without asking, and as to the warm drinks you've got to have there's loads of pennyrail in the fields and that's the tea you're getting. I found a letter with a regular and a special delivery stamp on it and cut them off and sold them for ten cents and bought the cereal."

"Oh, Zeb!" The letter was intended for some one.

"Course it was. It's addressed to a woman and some one dropped it before it was mailed. I'll hunt her up and deliver it."

"You're a true blue one, ain't you?" voiced Roger in grateful admiration.

"I try to be. You would run away from home and, having none myself, I was glad to join you. Now you're sick, think I'd drop you?"

Just then there were sounds of jolly juvenile voices outside. Half a dozen boys peered in curiously. "It's the two fellows we heard about running away from home," spoke their leader.

"Keep out! This is a hospital just now," warned Zeb.

"What do you mean?" was inquired.

"Just what I say. My chum's down with the measles and I'm nursing him," and Zeb went outside with the group.

"Huh!" muttered one of them. "He's lucky. Don't have to go to school. Wish I had his sickness."

"You do?" challenged Zeb, his eye brightening. "Look here, any of you fellows anxious to catch the measles so you don't have to go to school can be accommodated at ten cents per. All you've got to do is to pay a dime, come in and sit by my chum for an hour or two and afore a day or so you'll break out most beautifully."

Zeb laughed at his own conceit, but the boys went away thoughtful. At noon two of them reappeared with an air of mystery and twenty cents between them.